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We respectfully dedicate this issue to

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in appreciation of his 27 years of faithful service at
The Sarnia Collegiate Institute and Technical School.





FOREWORD

The earliest magazine of record on our school shelves is that of 1915. During those early years it appeared under the title of "The Collegiate." In 1948 the title was changed to the "Ad Astra Annual" in conformity with our Latin motto "Sic itur ad astra."

The pages of these earlier issues form a mirror of student activities throughout the years. Our 1957-58 magazine will add to this valuable historical record and students of future years will read it with the same interest which we find in the issues of the past.

But perhaps, of more importance in the publication of a magazine is its value as a summary of the current year to present students. Not only are we interested in it here and now, but in later years we will treasure it for the nostalgic memories of former classmates and teachers awakened through its pages.

For their success in meeting the challenges of this year's publication, I would commend the editor and his staff, and congratulate them all on maintaining the fine tradition that has been established since 1915.



## · Editorial ·

Events during the past year have made and will make great changes in the attitude toward education. Public surprise and anxiety over Russia's growing scientific power have launched education onto front pages and into newsreels and news broadcasts. Very vocal minorities cry for a 'return to fundamentals, a ridiculous movement which could never meet the demands of our complex society; some groups demand cutting down the curricula of all except science courses, which they feel are the In the search for scapegoats, much blame only important ones. has been laid upon the 'soft' courses, but is it really the courses and those who created them who should bear the responsibility, or is it the fault of those students who are capable of doing much harder work, yet elect to take those courses.

There is a great demand for federal and provincial assistance to university students. No doubt there exists a definite need for this, but until action is taken on this, it is still possible for almost any student with the ability and will to work to attend college or any other institute of higher education.

In sum, the responsibility for any faults in our educational system lies not only with educators but also with us, as students, and the ability to rectify the situation rests also with both educators and students.

On behalf of the magazine staff, I would like to thank all those teachers and others who gave us such fine assistance in producing this magazine, particularly Mr. Irvine and My. Galpin. John Fisher, Sisher Editor.



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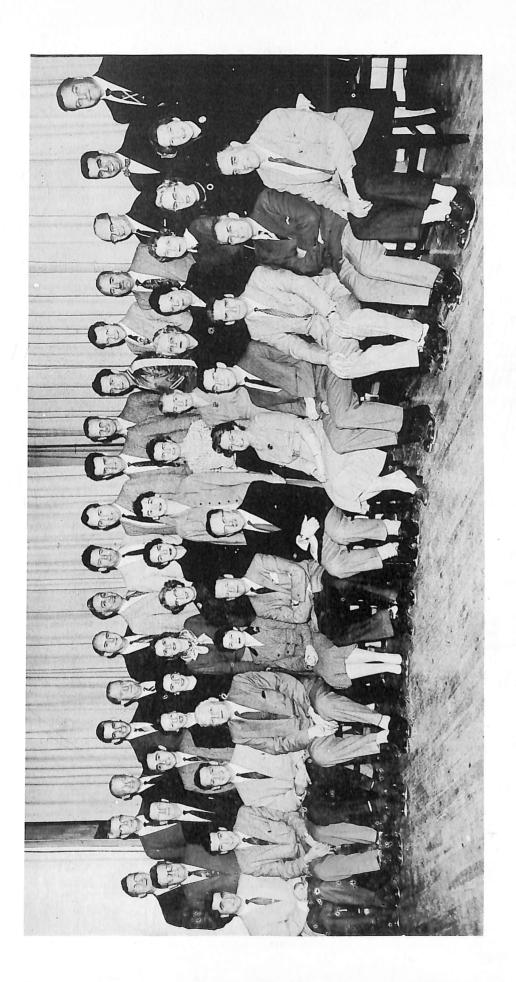
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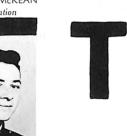
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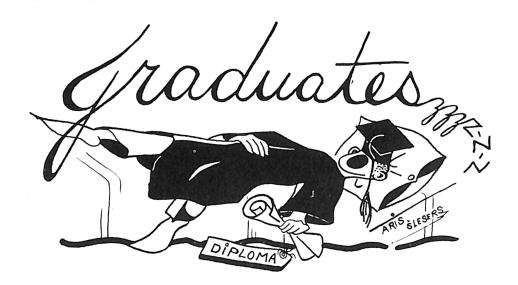


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Exchanges



## GRADE 13 GENERAL

MISS S. HOWDEN

Janice Young

That petite girl with the long blonde hair you often see wandering about the third floor corridor is no other than 13 a's Janice Young. Jan is noted for trying her hand in all extra-curricular sports that come her way. This gal is a real asset to any crowd and is bound to go places after Teacher's Tollege.



Jim Payne

Jim served as manager of the football team and on the Ad Astra. He hopes to study law where his loquacity should serve him well.



Hobert (Bob) Hillaby



Gladys Yardy

Throughout her years at SCITS, Gladys has participated in many extracurricular activities—mainly sports. This year she is Girls' Sports Editor of the Ad Astra, the form report of 13 A to the GAA, and one of the ever-active guards of our basketball team. She should go far in nursing.



Here's a girl whose smile starts your day off right. Her snappy walk can be spotted anytime in the halls. Mary, whose favourite subject is Biology, plans to get the rest of her grade 13 next year, likes all sports and spends much of her time at the 'Y' and talking in history classes.



Ed 'Bunny' Fluter

Ed has been very prominemt in school activities: WOSSA football and basketball, Key Club, cadets, and the Boy's Athletic Association. He was Cadet Commanding Officer last year and somehow succeeded in maintaining high scholastic standing. He enters Royal Military College next year.



Roger Kilbreath

Roger, frequently called Killer, is working to finish his sr. matric. in the next two years so that he may continue his education at Waterloo College His experimenting at home with rocket fuels leaves us in the air as to whether or not he will be at school next morning. Opening the doors to the assembly hall is his most outstanding activity. Summing up Roger's character, one would have to say he is a friendly joker.



Marjorie Paisley

At exactly 8:44 a.m. a pert brunette, namely Marjorie Paisley, may be seen bounding up the stairs to her locker on third floor. About fifty seconds later she rushes into 309 panting. Marj spends about three noon hours either at Ad Astra staff meetings or interform sports. Next September, Marj will be sporting a blue and white student's uniform at the Sarnia General Hospital. Best wishes Marj.

#### Kathryn (Kathy) Atmore



#### Stan Robinson

Stan is noted for his irregular method of catching up on lost sleep. A bright lad who gets consistently high marks, Stan hopes to study engineering when he finishes high school. We all wish him the best of luck, sleeping his way through university.



Ron 'Duke' Du Chene



If you see somebody apparently half-asleep, you can be sure it is Duke coming to school after a midnight shift. Ron goes to school but also 'holds down' a steady job at Dow Chemical. Ron, who hails from Corunna, is an avid participant in Boys Scouts, plans to enter Waterloo College.



Betty Lon Hoskins

#### Kathleen Wehring

Kathleen is well-liked for her friendliness and good humour. She is active in volleyball and is one of our better players. She also enjoys bowling in her free time. Kathleen spends many of her week-ends in Windsor. Next year, she plans to attend Teachers' College in London.



#### Pete Lambert

Pete's main contribution to school life has been his hard work as full-back on the football team. He's noted for keeping awake in classes where many of 13 A's hardworking students catch up on lost sleep. We wish him the best luck in his honour maths at Queen's.



#### Bill Sim



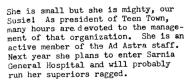
Bill plans on following a geology course at Queen's and whether he will probe into the depths of the earth, wander the barrens of the cold north in search of chalcocite (fool's gold) we wish him the very best of luck!



#### Isabel Stewart

Isabel has been a loyal member of SCITS for the past five years. Izzy is noted for her infectious smile and readiness to aid a fellow classmate. Next year, Izzy plans to attend London Teachers' College and I'm sure we all wish her the best of luck and success in her chosen profession.







#### John Fisher

John, an import from Toronto, is this year's editor of the Ad Astra Annual. He can usually be found in Mr. Pate's new chemistry and biology lab. John is planning to continue his studies at the University of Toronto, tak 3 modern history.







#### John Viglasky

John, better known to his fellow students, especially female, as Spaghetti, is a quiet, studious chap and a fine musician and athlete. With a proficiency in mathematics, he hopes to go into engineering after grade 13. We all look forward to the day when John will exchange nis pocket comb for a slide rule.



#### George Reeves

George has been a real asset to 13 A this year. His studious nature and witty personality have won him many friends, both teachers and students. As vice-president of Boys' Athletic, he has contributed much to make its activities successful. George intends to go to Teachers' College upon graduating.

#### Barbara McDonald

Bark is president of the Students' Council and active in sports, having the Royal Life Saving Awards, and is vice-president of G.A.A. All of Bark's extra-curricular activities have not interfered in her scholastic achievements. Next year she plans to enter Teacher's College at London. Best of luck Barb, we know you will succeed.



#### Gail Taylor

Gail 'Doc' Taylor is an all-round girl. Her main ambition is to enter some branch of medicine. Pesides being on the Students' Council and Girls' Athletic, her extra-curricular activities include being on the executive of Teen Town. She is most successful in water and snow skiing. Her favourite hobby is one of collecting various medical instruments, some of which are needles, thermometers and parts from dissected animals.

## GRADE 12 GENERAL B. K. LITTLE

#### Andrea Foster

Andrea is well liked by all her fellow classmates and teachers. She has a high academic standing and is planning to attend 0.A.C. to become a chemist. Her extra-curricular activities consist of volleyball, teen-town chances, singing in the choir, working at the Dairy Queen in the summer and Darwin. Andrea has been a SCITS student all the way. Her contributions to her class are lending her Physics notes to table seven and her pleasant personality.



#### Dave Fleet

Dave, one of our more serious students (?), has been a sparkling participant in many activities. His outstanding achievement this year was quarter-backing the school football team. Other sport activities include curling, track, basketball, and hockey. After school Dave may be found in the gym or in 3ll catching up in Physics problems. Pave plans to attend university and one of these years he may make it.



#### Bob Cooper



Bob is what you could call an 'all-round guy'. His interests are many and varied, including Delta Hi-Y, of which he is president, scouting, Key Club, and P.A.L. Bob has been an active participant in all interform sports since he entered the golden gates of SCITS. Bob plans to enter Junior College next year to study medicine. His amiable personality and seriousness should take him a long way in his chosen career.



#### Dianne Parsons

Dianne 'Red' Parsons has a sparkling personality and is a real asset to our form. Although she is busy with Young People's and Teen Town Council she can usually be found hanging streamers at the 'Y'. Red Plans on becoming a public school teacher, and I hope the professors at Teachers College will get a chance to see her temper isn't always flaring. Dianne will make an excellent teacher and her future pupils will be privileged to have her.

#### Karen Hosie

Karen, known to her friends as The Bomb, plans to follow her parents in the teaching profession. She is on the GAA. She came here from Galt three years ago. She is well-known for her good sense of humour and her willingness to participate in school activities. Her favourite expression is "Hi, kid."



#### Ken St. John

Our most avid language student in 12A is successful in German, Latin and French and plans to continue his training as an interpreter at a university in North Carolina. Since Ken likes the Americans and their style of clothes, he won't have any trouble fitting in across the border. Ken plays on the 'Y' basketball team. Although we hate to see Ken leave SCITS, we wish him all the luck in his future training.





#### Pete Ross

Pete is very active in school as Pres. of Boys' Athletic, as a member of Ad Astra staff, and as chairman of the Publicity Committee. Delta Hi-Y rounds out his hustling schedule of activities. Pete has an excellent scholastic records which is very creditable. He can be seen frequently at 8:25 elbowing his way around the halls trying to find Mr.N. His ambition is to go to Military College.



#### Janet Rinker

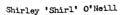
She is known to all her friends at SCITS as Rink. Janet excells in extra-curricular sports activities. Janet is a member of GAA, teaches Sunday School, sings in the choir at her church. She has a part-time Job at a nearby grocery. She plans to be an elementary school teacher and get a job at Aklairk in the Artic. Janet's helpful assistance in the experimental work in our Physics classes is appreciated by all of us and especially by Mr. Dennis.





Ann Tiltman

Ann adds a great deal of beauty to the atmosphere of 12 A. Her partime job and church work take up much of her time. Ann plans on switching to Special Commercial so she can become a secretary but she will probably wind up as president of the Chemical Valley Rod-Benders.



Shirley is an all around student active in volleyball, basketball and sings in Central United Choir. The tall, dark vivacious girl when not pursuing higher education is also learning about the business world at Simpson Sear's.



Murray McKean

A small frustrated boy in '54; a big frustrated fellow in '58, Murray hopes to graduate from Grade 13 sometime in the near future. After school Murray may be seen driving up Ad Astra sales as he is circulation manager. Inter-form sports and basketball take up most of his spare time. This tall, handsome fellow really likes to dance so Teen Town is one of his favourite pastimes. We all wish Murray the best of luck.





Bob 'Brownie' Brown

Bob is a very active participant in many of the school activities including—ruce-president of Students' Council, a member of the Senior Rasketball team and an officer in the Cadet Corps. 'Brownie' is also an excellent student and a good worker. At almost any time of the day he may be found with a certain J.H. Bob plans to study civil engineering at Western and we wish him the best of



Joan Heal

Joan has a knack for sports and participates in basketball, volleyball and swimming. She is an active member of the Y and has belonged to Hi-Y, and to top it off Joan is now a member of the 'Y' rifle club. Joan is an active member of the Church and hopes to graduate this year from her CGIT group as an instructor and counsellor. Joan holds down a job at Dr. Anderson's office and hopes to become a dental assistant.



Rose, well-known for her ponytail and frequent exclamation of "O Jolly Day," is well liked by students and teachers. A magnetic attraction draws her daily to the first floor in the vicinity of the Com. Office. Rose is Pres. of the ISCF and active in the Temple Baptist Young People's group and Youth for Christ. In September, she plans to enter Nursing at either Sarnia General or Galt General Hospital.



John Harris

John is interested in many wholesome activities, but due to his crowded timetable, he is only able to crowd in Army & Air Cadets, football, Teen Town Council, and SCITS Revue. Like most of us, John appreciates the finer things in literature and muscic (like Playboy, Mad). He possesses some records that are collectors items. (Arturo Toscaninii meets Dickey Dew and Don'ts in Benny Goodman's 1938 Jazz concert). John plans to attend R.M.C.



David Van Alstyne

Dave is a common sight around the school and I'm sure that teachers & students of the next decade will get to know him too. He has two years on the line of the football team, Hi-Y, SCITS Revue, conducting experiments in physics and trying to stay awake in geography. He has held many varied jobs from deck-hand on a Great Lakes streamer to general roustabout at Hudson Bay Co. Dave is remembered by his classmates by the phrases, "Who? Me?" and "But sir! I forgot!"



Marion Banting

Marion is a whiz in Math and is known for her rolling eyes. She intends to become a hypodermic needle wielder (nurse) at Victoria Hospital. Best of luck, Marion.



June Miller

June, who hails from Moore Township, plans to make nursing her career. She has taken active part in CGIT work, has obtained County Honours in 1-H Clubs, and is the vice-president of the Sixth-Line United Young Peoples! She is often heard saying, "Oh, isn't it funny!" Her good nature and wasy-going way makes her a friend to all she meets.



Ron Heal

This handsome lad has been involved in soccer, Cadets, Ad Astra staff, & Publicity Committee this year in his bid for fame. This year Ron was also honoured to be a candidate to Older Boys Parliament. Next year, there is a possibility that his presence will honour Port Huron Junior College in a business course.



Pat Ewener



Pat is very active in inter-form activities and sports and a high member of SCI'S Basketball team. Pat is very easy on the eyes and easy to get along with (when he has had his eight hours). He is often seen taking his T.B. fits in 312 along with his afternoon naps. He is siming at Port Huron Junior College and knows if he keeps his head out of his pocket he might make it.



sylvia Moore





Jack Bell





Dawe Wiegand

'Wiegie' is one of the tall cleancut lads of 12-A. His previous formal education was received at Devine St. School where he first developed his famous phrase, "Got your History homework done, huh have yuh?" Dave's favourite pastime is reading Playboy and Hot Rod magazines during all classes except German, in which he sleeps! Dave's present goal in life is a girl by the name of Alexis, but he hopes to become a construction engineer;



Audrey Fraser

Audrey is the sportsman of our class. She is interested in all sports, being a member of the Sarnia Figure Skating Club, bowling team, and senior girls' basketball team. She is also interested in Church work and is vice-president of a Young People's Union. With this background, Audrey will fulfil her future plans and become an excellent P.T. teacher. We wish her best of luck.



Gail was formerly interested in suporting a nurse's uniform, but now supports a diamond ring. A certain 'Gord Jarvis' is the reason behind all this. She is noted for spending long hours working out Physics problems with you know who? Her favourite pastime is pointing out sportcars and waiting for the week-ends to come. Being a Sunday School teacher and Explorer leader qualify her for her future home-making career. Best of luck.



Norm Chapple

Norm is always cheerful and good for a laugh. He is interested a hockey and may be found at the local arena whenever the Legionnaires are playing. He is an active member of the Sea Cadets. His plans for the future are the completion of Grade 13, and joining the Navy.



Reg. Metcalfe



Pat Clawson

A P.T. teacher is the profession Pat has chosen for her life's work. She is a member of G.A.A. Her afterschool activities consist of swimming and tennis. She is a member of Sarnia Figure Skating Club and has also won the French Cup for golf. When Pat graduates, we all wish her the best of luck.



Carol is noted for her ability to liven up any class with her laughter. She is very active in her church work Paterson Memorall, where she sings in the choir. Carol intends to enter Teachers; College in London next year for the two year teacher training course. Good luck, Caroli



Bob Widdup



#### Marilyn Staples

Marilyn's ambition is to be a good teacher. Her school activities are curbed by the school bus, but she takes a great interest in Bunyan Baptist Young People's, being past pres., the church choir, and teaches a Sunday School class. She is taking music and hopes to get Grade 13 Piaro and Grade 2 Theory. She is one of the few people to have her homework done and this makes her liked by both teachers and students.



#### Mike Muir

Mike plans to finish Grade 12 and take a business course at Michigan State University. He is very active in sports, having been a member of WOSSA football and track teams. Mike spends his spare time playing hockey for the Junior Legionnaires. He was a member of the Key Club one year and is active member of the SCITS Club at present. Mike would be a welcome member to any group.



## SPECIAL COMMERCIAL

MR. D. M. RAYMOND



#### Lenore Wygiera

Another of the "Select Six", Lenore's days as a "Miss" are numbered. A serious student, her marks are good. She is not certain what her plans for next year are, but we wish her success.



#### Donna Allen

Donna is the girl of the big brown eyes and is one of our "Select Six" who are sporting diamonds. A member of the Sea Rangers and the bowling club, she finds time at school to take a place on our form teams. When not waiting for Inge, she is being waited for!

#### Ann Brooks

"Skip" has lived in Corunna for the past five years, having arrived from Welland. She is often seen in a '53 Ford with Dave cruising the streets of Corunna. She attended Northern last year, but returned this year to her favourite, SCITS



#### Nancy Turner

This is Nancy's first and last ye: at SCITS. She came from Grimsby this year, but she'll be leaving us for a good reasons when school ends. Another of the "Select Six", she will become Mrs. Ron Moore. She is well-known around the school by the saying "Hey Nancy, you going or is he coming this weekend?"



#### Vera Tranter

Vera is one of our more studious ones and if her marks are any indication, it really pays off! Soft-spoken, Vera plays a mean game of volleyball, and she's also an avid hockey fan. She's gaining valuable office experience this year as recording secretary for the Sarnia Construction Workers Credit Union.



#### Emeline Botts

Emeline hails originally from Prince Edward Island but came to Sarnia in August. She has enjoyed Special, and upon graduation, she hopes to find work with the civil service. Since she is interested in stamp collecting and shell work, she spends much of her spare time in these pursuits. "Silence is Golden."

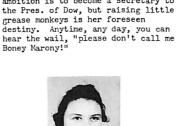


After 4 years of general, Fran decided to take her chances in the business world. If she's not talking to Marion she's poping of at the typewriter for making so many errors. Being Chief Councellor of Explorers takes up most of her spare time. Sports are still of great interest along with T. V.--expecially Zorro. She still wants to be a teacher so the best of luck to her.



#### Nancy Irvin

GAA Pres., senior basketball, volleyball, SCITS Revue, Student C. alt., advertising Committee. Sophisticated Nancy, after attending Ryerson in the fashion course came back to join us in Sp. C. Her designing ability was the reason for the outstanding fashions in the Revue this year. Her aversion is trying to get "everything" on again after P.T. In the years to come, we will probably find Nancy on her ladder washing windows at the Port Huron Junior College!



Senior basketball, volleyball, SCITS Revue, cheerleading. "Boney Marony's favourite pastime is riding around in a red & white Chev. Her flaming red hair blowing out the window gives

her a much better feeling than hearing her alarm every morning. Her ambition is to become a secretary to

### Betty Cook

Senior basketball, volleyball, Setty is a conjugation of the verb "to do". She can be found in the gym, where her main interests lie. She is president of her Young Peoples' group and is also an Explorer Leader. Betty is just wonderful to have around.



#### Donna Poulton

senior basketball, volleyball, SCITS devue. Arriving on our shores from the Sunny South, Donna's theme was "Moon Over Miami". Now we find her roughing it on a nearby farm singing "Oh Johnny!" Her blonde locks and that figure as well as personality, have won her many new friends. Although her ambition is to be a secretary at Polymer, she is destined to become the mother of 4 Junior Farmers.



#### Sandra Hornblower

Sheila Curry

Students' Council Rep., inter-form sports, SCITS Revue. "Toot" can be found at all social gatherings doing the Chalypso. When not dancing, you can find her at the Rendezvous in a certain customized Ford. Sandy's saying is "I'll give you 20 minutes to stop". She'd like to work at Polymer but will probably end up raising curly-headed blondes.



#### Isabelle Prendergast

Inter-form sports, Ad Astra Adv. Com. Isabelle's favourite saying is "Oh sugar!" She returned to SCITS after spending her last two years at Central. During the weekends she spends most of her time with a certain L. P. (not a 33 LP either!) watching him referee basketball gamea



#### Carol Sloan

Carol took Special this year because she finished Grade 13 last year and couldn't decide what to do next. That diploma has been a great help to her again. She is always trying to make a new skirt but invariably gets the centre seam on a diagonal. Her favourite expression is "I've seen ignorant people in my day, but he....."



#### Diana Partridge

Diana hops out of bed each morning to make sure that she gets Nancy and Betty to school on time. That little Morris is invaluable! Diana is a devoted cub leader, but we suspect that there are other attractions there!



#### Lois Garrison

Senior basketball, volleyball, SCIT3 Revue, GAA form rep., Cheerleading Lois, alias "Party Girl", has been tutoring the boys football team—in ballet, that is! She is noted for that pony-tail, and her bangs which are always in pin curls. Her ambition is to work at the CNR, but if all goes well, she'll be swabbing the decks of the H.M.C.S. Cornwallis,





#### Bill Prudom

Bill is a happy-go-lucky guy. He is interested in hockey and baseball. His week days are filled with his plans for getting down to Alvinston on week-ends to see Betty. His pet peeve: Wayne Henry.



#### Judith Rice

Inter-form sports. After struggling around in Grade 13 last year, Judy changed to Special and has finally decided to leave these hallowed halls, either for records or for Doug. Judy has been known to say, "Now there's nothing wrong with writing to him, as long as Doug doesn't find out?"



Senior Basketball, volleyball, GAA Referee, Ad Astra Rep., Adv. Comm.

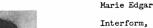
"Here is a girly who came here from Californy, She has a friendly smile and she's happy all the while. Her favourite sport is basketball, where are we going, is her favourite dall. Volleyball she also entered, Around a career her life is centered.



#### Inge Hurtig

Inter-form sports. Back at SCITS after a year at Central, Inge is getting the same top marks she earned in the general course. Bob can't be a patient teacher because she's getting her driving lessons at the Y. Painting and bowling take up her spare time and she is active in interform sports this year.





Interform, sports, Ad Astra Adv. Com. Marie, the other little one of C.Sp. is known for her tall tales. Her pet peeve is dull weekends, but by the sound of the tales we hear Mondays, she doesn't have too many of them. Her ambition is to be a very private secretary, but her destiny is getting the "boot".



#### Marion Cully

This "wee lass" insists she isn't our shortest member, but we wonder! When not trying to figure out how to put the sleeves into her latest creation, Marion entertains Don. In spite of her height, she was a valuable asset to our form's basketball team this



#### Jane Anning

Jane seems to be a "Jack" of all trades! Jane likes bowling, interform sports, Hi-Y and her favourite pastime is having friendly squabbles. We can always find Jane panting along behind her school bus, but maybe some day she'll be on it.



#### Suzanne Laplante

After a year's training at St. Joseph Hospital in London, Suzanne joined us in October. She completed her Grade 12 at St. Pat's where she was active in C. Y. O.



#### Patricia Warwick

You can see what Pat's career is going to be by her interest in the Sea Rangers. A "Navy girl," she is also a steady member of the AYPA.



#### Diane Jennings

Inter-form sports. Diane aspires to be a secretary in a lawyer's office, but in a few years we will probably find her trying to squeeze six curly-headed kids into a '35 coupe. At present, most of her time is spent shopping at the A & P. I wonder why? Diane is well-liked by her classmates who love her cheerfulness.





#### James Andrew

Jim is a member of the Boys' Athletic Association. Jim is famous for wine, women and song. He likes hunting, fishing and other outdoor sports. He has his eye on a certain blonde and his spare time is spent on the Courtight ferry or in St. Clair. Shorthand is his pet peeve.

#### Bill Griffin

Griff can usually be found at the Blackwell Hall on Saturday nights tripping the light fantastic with Shirley. He likes roller-skating & hunting, and is active in Y.P.U. His pet peeve is the school bus.

## GRADE 12A COMMERCIAL

MR. W. J. COLES



#### Anita Anderson

Anita is that cute little blonde who is best known for her crazy laugh. She is always cheerful and is well-liked by everyone who knows her. Her main ambition is to become a secretary and we all know she will be a success.



#### Eleanor Lucas

This is Luke's fourth year at Scits and she has obtained an honour certificate every year. She is very interested in sports especially basketball and was a member of the Scits senior team last year. She is also a member of the Scits Club and Student's Council. Her good looks and terrific personality brighten up any "pyjama party" and will add exceedingly to some office when she graduates this year.

#### Marg Reid

Marg gets up in the morning at 8:20 raring to go (back to bed.) She has spent four years at this school, all in the Commercial Course. Marg enjoys eating Pizza Pie on some nights in the wee hours of the morning. If you hear someone saying "there's Bill' you will know its Marg. Her good looks will be an asset to any office. We wish her the best of luck.



#### Audrey Wilson

Audrey's asset is her blonde hair and sparkling personality. Her main interest is the chaufer of a certain blue & white Dodge. (School colours you know( She enjoys bowling on Wed. after four, and sometimes on Sat. night with "the crowd". Audrey will be a success in the business world if her boss enjoys having cheefulness and humour in the office.



#### Sheila Hillaby

Sheila can be found at the locker every morning complaining about the weather and how far she has to "walk" She spends her time watching a certain Paul H playing beseball and hockey and trying to figure out a way to get to Philidelphia. Sheila will make a good secretary for some "LUCKY" executive. Good Luck.



#### Dolores Doyle

Dolores came to Sarnia from Toronto in 1953. She started at S. C. I. L. T. S. in grade 9 and has received an honour award in grade 11. She intends to graduate with the hope of high honours again this year. She hopes to work in one of the plants.

The L st of luck.





#### Marilyn Lucas

Harilyn comes from Corunna, where she is active in the brownies. Weekends are spent with a certain someone with the initials of B.J. who teaches her how to drive that Lo----ng blue Chev. Marilyn's hobbies are bowling (in the gutter) and playing basketball. A conscientious student, Marilyn has attained honour certificates throughout her four-year course.



#### Joyce Allen

Jo is a girl with a warm and friendly personality. She plans to be a secretary. She may be found at all hockey games cheering a certain legionaire to victory? Jo should certainly add a glow to any office with her big brown eyes. Lots of luck in all your endeavours!



Mar, is a quite blue eyed blond. Her height of 5' 7" is a good asset when she is playing basketball which she loves. She is also active in volleyball, badminton, and bowling. With her high standing in cales, she hopes to obtain a position in one of the plants. Lots of luck



Joyce Purves

An honour student of last year and a member of the cheefleading squad for the past two years, Joyce expects to take her ability of shorthand and typing into a small office after graduation if she can get more "POWER" behine the typewriter. Noted for saying "I wasn't the only one who said it".





Mary Forsyth



Mary Anne Hewitt

Mary Anne is a member of Delta Hi-Y and is active in many of the school sports. She has a pleasing personality and you can always see her with B. C. "Hewey" will enter the business field with great ambitions and be a success in anything she tries or does. We wish her all the luck in the world.



Sharon can be found outside her locker at 8:30 in the morning trying to talk to her fellow locker mates. Most of the day she can be found in the Commercial Office looking for that poor, lost Law book. Her nope is to work for a certain boss named "BOB CLAYTON". We all hope her dreams come true.



Connie Macklin

Every morning Connie can be found combing her hair at her locker, around 8:43. A great improvement was made in the Business Machines Room when Connie dropped Shorthand to take Business Machines. Connie's dimples and big blue eyes give her the innocent look. Connie is well liked by everyone, expecially Jerry Martin.



#### Shirley Wheeler

Shirley--a cute young chick from Northern last year, can be seen dashing to and from her locker. As she is a country girl, she enjoys morse-back riding, skating and other outdoor activities. Being a conscientious student, Shirley spends much of her time doing homework while playing records. She is also an asset to the backetball team. Good luck Shirley in your chosen career as secretary.



#### Margaret Thorpe

Margaret is a pert brunette, who last year at Northern won a medal for being second highest in Grade 11 Commercial. She enjoys sports especially basketball and skating. Her chief ambition is to become a secretary and take dictation from her boss' lap. Margaret has a good sense of humour and her high grades will be an asset to any office.

#### Sylvia Garrett

Sylvia is a studious person who works hard at her homework every night to pass when May 1 comes. She enjoys dancing at the "Y", sketing and swimming. In the near future she hopes to work at Imperial Oil. Keep working hard, Sylvia and you may be secretary to the "PRESIDENT".



#### Rose Jean Simpson

Rose Jean's main ambition is to learn to drive the car before summer holidays. Lookout California-here she comes!! Her spare time is spent ice-skating, bowling and playing the piano and guitar. She desires to become a private secretary. We wish her luck in obtaining this position.



#### Florence McKay

Florence has many hobbies and intere ts which includes square dancing, bowling, making flowers and listening to her many records. On Sunday night you may find her at Young People's, acting as secretary. Her driving ambition is to become a private secretary to some executive in an insurance office. We wish her all the luck in the world.



#### Dale Marshall

We girls of Cl2\* have been proud to have Lale in our midst this year for she has been the received of the highest warks in almost every subject. However, Dale is not always behind a typewriter or studying her lessons. Every Friday night she can be seen injoying her favourite pastime, skating. She also collects records—Elvis Presley's, of course. Dale will surely be an asset to her employer, and we all wish her the best of luck.

#### Brenda Byers

Brenda came to our school from Oil  $S_i \, \mathrm{ring}$  and has been a great asset to C12A. She is a member of the Publicity and Radio Club and can usually be found in the company of Rose and Jo. She plans to become a secretary and with her warm personality she will be a great



#### Ann Cranmer

On school days Ann can be seen sauntering up the walk of Scits about 8:21 a.m. (with two other individuals?) Although most of Ann's time is spent pounding a typewriter, for Physics notes or Miss Clare--she still manages to find time for J. K.--Winning a bookkeeping award and operating a Billing Machine at the Sarnia General Hospital. Because of her ambitious nature she is bound to be a success as an X-Ray technician which is her desire.



#### Gwen Nesbitt

Gwen comes to us from the small village of Corunna, she has brown hair. She objects to being called "Red" by her brother. She is well know by all and can usually be seen with Gene Lumley and his "58" meteor.



#### Janet Lindsay

Janet the first thing in the morning and the last thing after school, can be found at her locker with Garry. Among her favourite sports are bowling and basketball, both of which she is outstanding. After graduation, she plans to work, but may give that up after a certain boy finishes college.



Dorothy Stover

Dorothy is known throughout the school for just waiting for the weekends to come around. She lives on a form and is a typical farm girl. She is very pleasant and easy to get along with. We wish her the est of luck



#### Ann Sesterak

Ann has been active in sports of all kinds during her past years at S.C.I.T.S. She has succeeded in obtaining an honour certificate each year in her studies. Ann's interested in skating and swimming. She hopes to work at Imperial Oil, make a lot of money, a die happy.



#### Rosella Nahmabin

Rose is definitely an asset to C12A, with her pretty smile and good sense of humour. She is a member of the Publicity Club, and many be heard over CHOK on High School March Past. We wish her the best of luck when she goes in for a nurse in the fall.



#### Shirley Lukon

Shirley is very ambitious. She ottains very high standards in all her subjects. She injoys basketball, volleyball and SP-GGHETTI. She will graduate this year and probably obtain high position in one of the plents. We wish her the best of luck in the coming year.



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#### Gail Roane

Gail, better known as Roany, can always be seen arriving at school in a blue Meteor, owned by a very good friend. She is best known for her pleasing personality and good looks. Her main ambition is to become a secretary and we all know she will make it.



#### Sandra Bettridge

Sandy's long hair and her friendly smile make her a hit with both boys and girls. Sandy's favourite expression is "isn't that sexy". Her main ambition is to get out of SCITS after five long years of waiting. Sandy would also like to live in Point Edward near a certain "Hendrie"



Ann is known around the school by her pleasant smile. Her favourite pastime is turning Harolds truck over and wondering "what trouble can I get into now." She is a real nice girl with a nice personality.



#### Penny Vince

Penny is one of the smarter girls of S.C.I.T.S. who has obtained three honour certificates in school. Her quiet ways and her friendly smile make her well liked by everyone especially John. If you hear someone saying "Yell Marg said so" you can count on it being Penny.



#### GRADE 12B COMMERCIAL

J. C. CLARE



John Felton: New Club, Tenny Vince, Usually late.
On Fonday mornings, after everyone is on their may to the assembly hall, you may see a figure moving hurried, along the bottom corridor. This is John for you see, Monday mornings are his weakness. John drives a 1950 Pontine, and always manages to have something go wrong with it, if not one thing then another. John is also a very good singer and practices rigularly with the Clee Club. This year John was the lead singer in the 3.C.I.T.S. Review.







Every class has a "brain" and we got Ralph. Between staying in Miss Clare's typing room and working at Mell English's Drugstore, Ralph occupies most of his spare time. He always finds time to draw cars though, expecially in the Bookkeeping room. He is also a rapid follower of the sport car world. If this fellow works as hard in the business world as he does now in class, I am sure that in the years to come, he will have his own collection of sport cars.



Ann Dagg

Who's the short girl with the long brown hair and big green eyes? The bundle is Ann Dagg, pride and joy of Cl2B. Her assets are a good sense of humour and a friendly personality. Her pet peeve is school. In her pastime, she attends Hi-Y, Teen Town and talks on the telephone. Ann is a happy-go-lucky gal and is well-liked by everyone. Her ambition is to be a secretary for a big company but destination: taking dictation from Miss Clare in 1960.



#### Bob Blake



Bob Blake is well-liked by all his classmates. He is very friendly and does good in all school work. Bob spends his spare time in playing hard ball and hockey. At school, his time is spent with a certain girl named Joanne. His ambition is to become a "MARRIED" farmer.



#### Carol Hart



Carol is Cl2B's attract ve pony-tail kid. Any chance of getting out of school, she jumps at. Carol spends most of her time writing and receiving letters from Nova Scotia. She has letters from Nova Scotia. She has the reputation of being the most stunned student in law classes. Her favourite saying is: "Mi-Mo Cox-O". Our class has been much happing with her witty nearths. Good plans to become a secretary for the navy and look after the old sea-dogs (namely care)."

#### Jame Van Vliet

Jane has the happy-go-lucky spirit of Cl2B. The arrives early to gab with the girls in the washroo. Cane will get a good job with her natural table, bloomly, bloomly, hair and blue eyes as assets. For invocable saging is 10.1 Mac. The is were table expecially at leaving school before reporting.



#### Gordon Toy

Is it a bird; is it a plane; no it's Gordon Toy with his Colonial Hotel uniform on. Now way down deep Gordie has got the heart of a great singer, but we just haven't dug that deep yet. You can tell Gordie is a ladies man by the way he combs that jet black hair and by that crazy red vest he wears, all he needs is a pair of white bucks and he will be the coolest cat in SCITS.



#### Ken McLachlan

"Dig the craxy rhythm man," is the flippant remark heard constantly in Cl2A. Ken is a close Elvis' fan whose favourite pastime is collecting the 'Rock'n Roll' records. Ken wants to be a hot singer in Steve Allen's show in future. Lately, his dashing blue "Dodge" has disappeared from the parking lot, we wonder what happened to the steering wheel?!



#### Judy Edgar: Dad's To the J: A redheaded defenceman:

neaded defenceman:
If about 1:05 some dark night you see
a 50 Chevy racing down the street,
you'll know its Judy going home from
work at Kenwick where she sings for a
living. (She has a real keen voice)
Judy was director for the Scits Tlub
this year. She has hardly missed a
Junior hockey game this wear because
of a red-head. Her ambition is to
become a practical nurse so that she
can sing her patients to sleep with
her favourite saying of --"I haven't
seen a man for s-o-o-o-o I-C-N-1"



#### Rose-Marie Rondeau

Rose-Marie is the only girl in C12B to be heard talking to her girl-friend in French. She has a quick temper and once she sets her mind to anything there is no getting out of it. She can be seen many noon hours riding around town with a certain gasman named Bob.



#### Colin Leach



#### Bob Hystead



#### Doris Oakes

Besides working hard at her school work, Doris is active outside school hours. She plays the piano, sings in the Church choir, and attends AYPA meetings. She also has troubles with her twin sister and mixed-up boy friends. After gradu\_tion, Doris hopes to get a good job in a nice office.

#### Gayle Zenick

Gayle is a person who is always cheerful and happy except when she's had a fight with "Don". She can be seen riding around in a 53 blue Ford. Gayle and the sheet and we hope you wish comes true.



#### Fred Sturge

The class would not be complete without Fred Sturge's wit and humour and his ready smile. Besides keeping the class in an uproar most of the time, Fred's other activities include playing basketball on the form team, working at the A & P Store (we expect him to be manager any day now), and taking out Elizabeth Rose Heeley. It will be very interesting to see which catches up to Fred first—work or Elizabeth Rose.





#### Mary Willoughby

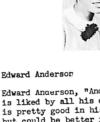
One person who always keeps the class One person who always keeps the class awake, when she is not sleeping herself, is Mary. The bad weather often delays her from taking a ride out to the Point to see a certain Ken.

Next year Mary plans to further her education by going to Business College. Best of luck "Curly".



#### Faith Tomlinson

If you hear Ken McLachlan asking If you hear ken "clacked asking a certain Strawberry Blande when she's getting married you'll know he's referring to Faith Tomlinson. We don't know when she's getting married but when she does she'll be a great loss to our class. I hope she gets to work in Polymer her second greatest wish. (First being Marriage).



Edward Anderson, "Andy" is quiet and is liked by all his classmates. He is pretty good in his school work but but could be better if he would stay away from London and a certain G. B. away from London and a certain G. B.
After school Andy would like to join
the Mounties, the Air Force or do
a little travelling before he settles
down with G. B. and his eight little
Rocket Richards.



A slim brownetter can be seen rushing

A slim brownetter can be seen rushing in the doors of S.C.I.T.3. on a Monday morning all smiles with the news that she is again the future co-owner of Ritman's Ladies Wear. Gloria can be found behine the bar at Purity Dairy on Meekends and at the Point Edward Arena on Sunday

#### Cloria Soper

Gloria Brown

evenings.

Gloria Soper is better know to her classmates as, "Sope". She spends most of her time at hockey games and with Ron D. Gloria is well liked by her classmates and we all wish her the best of luck in the future.



#### Audrey Dobson

Early each morning Monday through Friday you will find Audrey waiting patiently in the front of her home (on the farm) for the "Tenth Line Flyer". In June tudrey hopes to leave the farm for an office job, and one day she will also become the wife of Floyd Sheffer!



#### Gloria Fraham

Gioria comes running in at 8:40 and grabs her books for the morning classes. She can be seen at about 6:42 combing her auburn hair in the washroom for Jim. Gloria spends most of her time with Jim, Hi-Y and working at Woolworths. She can be seen working in a Dentist office or a Doctors office this summer. after Doctors office this summer, after graduation.



#### Karen Eady

Karen is a friend of everyone in Cl2B. She is especially noted for her dislike of dancing in P.T. Her favourite saying is "My mother will have a bird". Her destination is slinging milkshakes at the "Melody Bar". You can be sure she is sick if you don't see her at the "Y" Satdrday. She has a wonderful sense Saturday. She has a wonderful sense of humour.





#### **GRADE 12 A TECHNICAL**

MR. F. J. PAYNE



La Vern "Vernardo" Preece

A machine shop specialist who will make a very fine machinist in the near future. He plans to further his apprenticeship at Auto-Lite or go to a trade school. To sum it all up, La Verne has great possibilities and some day will be one of Sarnia's leading machinists.



Polvie Prici

"Sam" has just core to his end after four lorg, hard jeers at Scites. Le is often seen in his 15 Fonerch or speedboat and tries to keep up in his math for Kr. Topper. He is ambitious and ready to assist teachers and classates. Chemistry has been his specialty, but he aims to teach dancing. We wish him best of luck.



Jin is a chemistry specialist. Jin is an average student in the class room. "Moses" as he is known to the boys, is a very well liked and comical fellow. He is also the treasurer of He-Y. Then you are looking for Jim and cannot find him just look for Choria 3 and you are sure to find him.



Kenneth Webb

Volkswagen operator for Beacon Cleaner. He is specializing in chemistry and plans to attend Ryerson after four years of hard work at Scits. He is known for clobbering Fusko in basketball with feet and fists. Fool is his side line.



Robert "Rip" Van Rogyen

One of the machine shop specialists and a well liked boy in machine chop. On graduating he would like to further his apprenticeship to become a machinist. Impertal Oil is his destiny for the apprenticeship.



Ron Lyville

Ron is an eighteen year old, grade twelve technical student. He specializes in welding and burning shirts. Ron works for Streat-Jalker Ltd. at present but hopes to obtain a good position in the welding profession. He spends most of his time with a mysterious, unidentified girl named Kerlene Fudley. Ron is counting or her to help him get through this year.



Paul Charlton

He is one of the "PNC" boys of the school (Mr. Percy Corn's Specialist). His work is up to standard and he nopes to graduate. Paul is quiet and easy to get along with and is noted for walking and talking with "S. M." He is looking forward to being Mr. P. Charlton and!



Ross "Smitty" Smith

Ross made the 1957 allstar football team playing end. Smitty also played on our champion interform basketball team. Ross is an easy going and well mannered guy. Smitty is always well dressed. Both teachers and fellow students always had his co-operation. His ambition showed well in his good scholastic standing. Ross plans to try the Waterloo College entrance examinations -Good Luck!





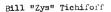
#### Larry "Willy" Williamson

Willy is a well liked chemistry student who is always courteous. Those of us who know him well see him as a real comic. During the summer he took a Ftr. Cop. course at Crunlin in London with the R.C.A.F. At a later date he plans to join the active force. Who is Peanuts?



#### Bob MacPherson

Bob is truly one of the most ropular boys around school. Along with being a terrific basketball player, he also participates in meny school activities such as Ocits Club. He has a gift for willing which may lead him into a bright future. His audience may be studente of Port Laron College. We wish him the best of success.



Lys is a studious guy who is well known and liked by both the staff and students. He is a chemistry specialist and plans to enter one of the industrial plants after graduation. He is infamous for holding bull sessions with Will. in 315.



#### John King

John is the form representative for our We Astr: Annual this year. He came to Technical after two years of the General course. He played on our interform's basketball team. John has a good scholastic standing and is popular with all students and teachers. John intends to seek employment at one of the industries. We wish him success in future life.



#### Harry Johnson

Harry is well liked by both teachers and students. He is a member of the Boy's Athletic Society and is their representative in the Student's Council. He is known for his trips to Mooretown to see L. B. When Harry graduates he hopes to be a machinist.



#### Don "Pug" Fugsley

Don's witty but humerous remarks get him along well with both students and teachers. His friendly smile and personality will get him a long way in this world. Don is finding it difficult going steady with Ponnie and Stews gas jumps at the same time. Finding steady work is his ambition in life.



#### Bill Eussell

Bill is likely to be seen driving his B-S-A notorcycle snywhere, enytime, and in one worther. He is a chemistry specialist. Fill is intending to take grade 13 general next year but in the meantime is satisfied with his high scholestic standing.



#### Paul Rusko

Paul is a good matured guy and is always wearing a smile. He is willing to help anyone at a ytime. "Paulko" is majoring in Industrial Chemistry. His ambition is unknown at the present but we think he may become a lab technician. Although his ambition is set on serving in the United States Marmine Corp. in the very near future.



#### Marvin "Moe" McNeill

Marvin is 18 years old and is a grade 12 tech. student. He is specializing in chemistry and has high hopes of becoming a chemist. Marvin has a part-time job after school, he spends his money in the local poolroom and to put gas in the car to take out a certain little girl.



#### Bob Hart

Bob is noted for his ability to come up with an enswer under any conditions. In spite of a month and a half long sojourn to Nova Scotia which terminated a week tefore the every, he managed to pass in his special shop. It's really tough that I. C. F. had to overhear him singing in the showers.



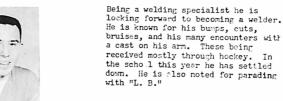
#### Cecife Fiz

Tempe since configure or relect has starred in track and football being captain of the football team this year. While George is active in many extra curricular activities, he has a good scholastic standing and is well liked by all. George would make a good P.T. teacher. We wish him the best of success in his future education.



#### Gary Moyer

Gary is a student who is well liked by other students and teachers. He has average marks in school and has average athletic abilities. His main hobby is girls and nusic.
intends to go out into industry next year.



Bill Skam

mechnics.

Bob "Curls" Foster



#### Mario De Donato

Mario is an intelligent lad with a bright future. He is not afraid of hard work. He is a handsome lad, with mice, way, black hair. He intends if possible to further his education at the Ford Trade School in Windsor. He is a good soccer player, being captain of the 1957 soccer team



#### Larry Waller

He is a well liked student both by teachers and classmates. He is noted for the "tattoos" on his arm. This is his second try at grade twelve and he might just make it. Specializing in auto mechanics he hores he will have the fastest car at S. C. I. T. S. in 1950.



#### Dave McGirr

Dave is quite sincere and helpfull. Dave is quite sincere and helpfull. He will do snything to help you if you ask him nicely. Pave is well known for his Reader's Digest Jokes which he gets from his grandfather's 1919 copies. Pave is a specialist in auto mechanics and received the highest marks of the grade 12 specialists. His favourite pastine is trying to get Mr. Passmore med. P.S. (he succeeded)



#### Doug Pettit

Doug hails from Brigden and is very popular at school with both boys popular at school with both boys and girls. He has average marks in school and gets along well with rost teachers. He is an industrial chemistry specialist and always tries to blow up his experiment. Poug is often seen at the Y. M. C. A. He hopes to attend Port Buron Junior callers restinged. College next year.

Bill is a very monest and trustworthy

Bill is a very monest and trustworthy lad who is specializing in automechanics. His nickname around the shop is "carborator." His main fault is getting Tr. "Speedy" Passmor's goat actually you can get some dependable information from his in the field of automechanics. His ambition is to

auto mechanics. His ambition is to wind up in the Ford motor in auto



#### Neil Wolsey



#### Bill Buchanan

Bill an automobile mechanic specialist assists his father with a local business in his spare time. Bill pusiness in his spare time. Bill participated in interform sports and is a good average student in the class room. Bill plans to attend O.A.C. at Guelph, in the future to further his education. We all wish Bill the best of luck in whatever he may undertake. may undertake.







#### Clive Brocks

Clive is noted for his red hair and enthusiasm. He came here from Pngland in 1953. For five years now he has been engaged in the sport of Judo, the last two having been spent teaching it at the Y.F.C.A. He gets better than average marks and hopes to go to Port Huron Junior College following Grade 12.

## **GRADE 12B TECHNICAL**

MR. F. C. DITTA



#### Merv Gadd

Being quite active in school sports Merv has proven to be an enjoyable companion to all those who know him. He is a good student, having made honour grades in every year of his school work. Merv is also an outdoor man as he enjoys hunting and fishing. He plans to go on to either grade 13 or college.



#### Dan Mac Donald

Dan is a resident of Sarnia and attended public school at Devine St. School. He is very good in all of his subjects and has taken part in all school activities. Dan goes fishing, swimming, hunting, skating, and has attended Scouts for 4 years. After Dan is out of school he plans to go on to the General Electric Plant at Peterborough, Ontario for his apprenticeship.



Jonesy is a dark-haired, blue-eyed, five foot five, one hundred pound bundle of joy for J.B.T. He was born in Timmins but his main stamping grounds is at the corner of 305.

Jonesy specializes in electricity and hopes to get a job in industry as long as they don't require tall men.



#### Bob Barnes

Bob is a handsome, black-haired beauty of 17 who came to SCITS after spending some time at Hannah Memorial. He is quite active in the sports field in that he was a member of the football team. Bob is quite intelligent with the ability to work and is also on an attendance streak.





Neil Bothamley



Joe Sharp

#### Neil Burley

Neil came with his family from England about eight years ago. He has earned first-class honours and is still a very studious worker. He and his partner, at school, L.J.B., have fixed many electrical difficulties throughout the school. He plans to take a four-year apprenticeship couræ with the Ontario Hydro and then go into a plant as a maintenance electrician.



#### Stu Mc Leod

Stu was born in Sarnia and is well-known throughout our school. He played senior football, basketball, and all inter-form sports and is a member of the Road Knights. He is specializing in woodworking and has just completed a Hi-Fi set. His sparetime is usually taken up with Florrie.



Dorwin Robinson



Don Taylor

Don has been in the Technical course since coming to SCITS. He specialized is electricity. Don spends most of his spare time at the 'Y' and is a member of the Hi-Y club. He plans to further his education if it is possible.



Don is an average student, gifted in woodworking. He has taken an active part in the Key Club, during the years he has been here. His ambition is to graduate and enter industry. He is an all-round fellow and his main interest is M.M. at



John Irwin

John, who is a sheet metal specialist, likes his special shop very much. He works at Fred James Body Shop. Though John is no woman-hater, he has no one special. He is going to join the RCAF. His favourite subjects are: Maths, Science, Economics and English.





Alan 'Cat' Watson

Alan is an outstanding student in Physics. Upon leaving school Alan is uncertain of what he will be doing or where he wants to work. (scrubbing floors at Bunt Murray's gas station after hours). He would get better marks in 206 if he left a certain M.M. alone at Central, (the tall M.M.)



Jim Mc Murray

Jim was born in Windsor is best-known around SCITS for his long side-burns and odd collection of cars. He is specializing in Sheet Metal and hopes to pass the year with good marks. If you are in doubt about a traffic violation, just look up Jim.



Gerry is a member of Hi-Y, Judo Club, Key Club, and is our form representative. By working at Dunlop's Esso Service, he manages to make enough money to take H. S. out. He is a drafting specialist and hopes to attend General Kotors Institute in Flint. Gerry makes a good substitute for an absent teacher.



#### Fred Hill

Fred lived on a farm for fifteen years. When he started high school, he moved to the city, which he says he likes better because there are more girls in the city. He is working hard to graduate this year and get a job in one of the plants in May. He intends to further his education after working for a year or two.





#### Dan Charyk

Dan Charyk started in Grade 9 General, which he didn't like, so he switched to the Technical course. He played football for the school this year and is working hard to graduate in May. He is planning on securing a job during the summer and later returning to school for a higher education.



#### Jim Calfas

Jim joined our ranks after spending a year in the General course. He is the outdoor type with a membership in the Bruin's Hunt Club. Kany is the time when his basketball and bowling ability has led his team on to victory. Jim is an excellent wordwork specialist and hopes to graduate in the future. J.V.C. is the youngest member of the class.



Lynn, a student with good scholastic standings, is a specialist in electricity. Along with other normal activities of the average young man, he takes an active part in basketball, hockey, etc. He intends to work in one of the local plants and in undecided as to whether or not he will further his education.



#### Joe Locknan

Joe came to Sarnia at the first of the school term. Last year he attended Ottawa Technical School. He likes Math, Science, and English. Joe has become very popular in the time he has been in Sarnia, with both sexes. He plans to go in the R.C.A.F. after he has completed his schooling.





#### G. Everingham



#### Fred Warriner

Fred, who was born and educated in Sarnia, has been a student at SCITS for the past four years. He is a specialist in woodwork. Fred took part in the football team and is now on the bowling team. He has a keen liking for all sports and activities.



Bob hails from Thedford. He spent Grades 9 to 12 at SCTTS, no other school would do. His Special Shop is Electricity. Bob is an all-round guy and is able to take a joke. Bob is an average student in his school work and never causes trouble. His hobby now is working in the field of electronics.



#### Jim Charrington

Jim specialized in Drafting and gets good marks in this subject. He is popular with both students and teachers. He works part-time laying rugs. Jim belongs to the Rovers. He likes to hunt and go camping. Jim is active in all sports and plays them all well.





Colin, who is a specialist in drafting, came over from "Northern" this year. He is a native of England and is known for his English way of saying "O.K. Chap." He is known to his friends as "Leaky". He played on the Bomber football team as a half-back.





#### Time

The clock
That ticks so fast
As many seconds go by
Marks all the time of joy and life
Then death.

#### Silence

This day
This stillness reigns
But soon the silence will go
To welcome the majestic king
Of noise.

#### SCHOOL DAZE

School days are full of dreams:
We wish we were outside, it seems.
But soon our teachers 'waken us
To stop us making such a fuss
"For soon, we will be glad," they say,
"That we are still in school this day.

Pat Arnold 10A



#### SIC ITUR AD ASTRA

An old man sat in gilded halls,
To rule the land his fate;
His subjects loved him, rich and poor,
For wisdom made him great.
He ruled the land 'til he came old,
His eyes though misty grew,
His soul was still both good and pure;
His people kindness knew.

A vulture sitting in the dark, Claws asharp, and eyes ashine, The monarch's son, a selfish rogue, Said, "The throne shall soon be mine!" He waited for that future day; The present reign would end Upon his father's death, and he His days in pleasure spent Could, as a king o'er all the land, As Neptune on the sea, Dictator of all modes of life: A man of tyranny!----

The tide of time ebbed, taking out The months, and years, and more. Uneasy dread washed o'er the prince, "What lies for me in store? Shall I grow old without my due, And never wear the crown? One answer shows itself to me: With king and courtiers DOWN." An army gathered at his call, All men whom evil draws, A savage smirk upon their lips, And daggers on their paws; The kind who'd rob the gods themselves, And murder babes in sleep, Yet, cower low before THEIR lord As little, innocent sheep. They stormed; to them the castle fell, Its walls defenceless proved. The king sat stricken on his throne, He spoke no word, nor moved. Triumphantly the prince strode in, His armour clanking loud; The king arose, gazed upon his son, Both broken, old, yet proud.



His gen'rals crowded 'round the prince Who only stood and frowned; The king bowed low his head, "The throne Is yours, for I am downed. His purple robes he gathered 'round His thin and aged frame. And glided from those gilded halls So he could hide the shame He felt, because his son had dared, Through vilest treachery, His father to usurp, and down, And throw to misery. So all alone he left his land, And left his son to rule: That happy, evil, crafty one, The know-it-all, the fool who sought to go down in men's minds. And history as well, By infamy and cruelty, Who'd only sound a knell.

A young man sat in gilded halls. To rule the land, his fate; His subjects' love for him was small. For naught 'bout HIM was great: He cheated all who with him dealt: To him were loyal few: He lived in riches, wind---and doubt---H's people hunger knew. ... here e er he went he felt cold stares Him shroud, so, as the Night Of Doom, which covers evil all. And leaves no room for Light. He shrank from touch of other men. Lamented his sore plight: He tore his hair, and shouted. "GODS." Show me the way to Light." Ard then he added, whisp ring coarse. His voice in solemn tone, "And Father, you whom I have wronged. Don't leave me now alone. The darkness vanished, fled, dissolved In brilliant rays of morn: Before him stood his sire, the king. By whom he had been born. He reached for the vision, held To it his sobbing breast, "Oh, Father, Father, I was mad A th greed: now give me rest."



With words both slow and even said, With loving, infinite care, The old king smiled, and smiling spoke, H's hand on his son's hair. "Repent thy evil ways, my son: Let good, and love revive: Philanthropy show to all men; To give makes men alive: It makes them live a happy life, And gives them gladness great: And learn, my son, learn of all things, Of good, and bad, and Fate." He paused, and stared beyond this world. To pastures wise men know. And gathered strength to end his speech In fervid way, and so He raised his voice: the room, it shook, H's eyes, they blazed anew, He held his head high, as of old, His heart was joyed in lieu Of being filled with tears, and sad, And ever being bled Because his son had strayed in life. He or 'ed his mouth, and said, "This I swear by gods I know, By Minerva, Jove, and Mars: Thus man waxes great, grows strong, THUS MAN RISES TO THE STARS."

We know not of that eager prince:
His story is not told
Upon the pages of the years,
Or in the books of old.
But if you too would reach the stars,
And sail beyond their seal,
Then follow close that wise man's words,
And they will be your keel.

Aris Slesers 10A



#### PARTY

The two pairs of footprints meandered evenly along the sidewalk covered with soft white lace. The fact that they never crossed with, or mingled with each other pointed to the fact that their makers were strolling side by side, possibly even hand in hand, which was true.

The originator of the larger, heavier ones wore big rubber boots. Above them, he had jeans--not the kind that were white at the knees and seat--but evenly blue and clean all over. The rest of him was encased in a thick brown jacket, with the wide fur collar turned up to protect the naturally bare ears from the bitter wind. In one hand, he held books, two sets of them. In the other hand, he held tenderly, a small soft hand to which he gave, every now and then, an affectionate squeeze, and which in return bestowed upon his huge palm an equally affectionate one.

The rest of the owner of the little hand was just as little, just as femininely soft. From the tips of her rubbered toes to the top of her kerchiefed blonde head, she was as pretty as a picture.

Every once in a while, the boy would lean down and say something, and the girl would look up and say something too; as she did now.

Larry swung his gaze swiftly from the two grey eyes of his companion to the shadows of the trees ahead.

Three tall forms lumbered out onto the side-walk; Jack Sorley, Bill Walker, and Fred Monter. The first two were hangers-on. Fred was the "boss". His father was one of the richest men in town. Fred got everything he wanted: friends, he had two of them with him--anything.

Larry bit his lip, a habit of his, and his eyes bored right into the advancing figures. He swallowed. Fred was not exactly his best friend.

The forms advanced, menacingly, their faces split by idiotic grins, their eyes glued on Larry; all except Fred;



his face was unsmiling, his pale eyes inexpressive. He glanced briefly at Larry and then turned his attention to Vally, the girl. The distance quickly narrowed. Fred kept his unsmiling stare on Vally's flushed face.

Closer...Closer...Something was going to happen; Larry was sure of it. He was not afraid of Fred alone, but the other had two hoods with him. He swallowed again; and then they were past. The thick, hard crunch of steel-toed boots faded behind.

Why hadn't something happened? Why hadn't Fred done something. He had simply walked grimly past them, staring at Vally. That was it! Vally. She, simply being there. So Fred had his eye on her. Why, the no good----.

"Huh?" he said.

The girl looked at him, blinking, "What do you mean "Huh"? "We're here, silly."

Larry looked around. They were there all right; Vally's house. He handed her the books, then held on to them as she turned to go up the walk. "Ah, look, you're going to the lake tonight, aren't you? I mean, you don't have any other plans, do you?

She smiled up at him sweetly. "Of course I'm going. See that you're there." She twirled lightly and walked half-way up the walk, then turned, her face a mischievous grin. "You look kind of green to me," she flung at him saucily. "You wouldn't be jealous of that big, handsome Fred Monter, now would you? You saw how he kept looking at me."

Larry was jealous. It tore his heart and burned his ears. But he was also fifteen, no longer a boy, and not by a long shot yet a man. None of those silly emotions from him...... outwardly. Inside he burned. "Why should I be?" he flung back.

He waited, tense, but Vally only laughed as she disappeared into the house.

He followed her footprints back down the walk to where she had stood beside him, then turned to observe the two pairs, hers and his, wandering from the distance behind. He winced involuntarily: three dark sets of prints had plowed up the powdery blanket, the middle set Fred's, neatly cleaving Vally's from his own...

Larry got out to the lake early that night.



The lake stretched for five miles into the darkness, the wind building drifts and demolishing them and building new ones. For those five barren miles darkness reigned, but here in a secluded cove the snow had been scraped from the face of the ice, leaving it hard and gleaming. Benches were arranged along the shore, and the whole thing was lighted by a million, glaring, electric light bulbs strung across the ice.

Already a few skaters flashed by. Larry pulled on his skates, tightened the thick, yellow laces and swung out onto the surface. Vally was not there yet. He was approaching the far end of the lighted area when a skater whizzed by, almost knocking him over. He glared angrily after the offender when another turned sharply and sprayed him with a fine coat of snow. It was no accident; there was not another person within yards. Fred's gang. And Fred himself was beside him, rocking slowly, back and forth while shifting his weight from one leg to another. He did not look at Larry. His mouth twisted sideways and he forced from between clenched teeth: "Stay away from Val." He changed the angle of his skates a fraction and glided effortlessly along the gentle curve of the circle of illumination, leaving Larry, stunned, to coast stupidly into the cold darkness beyond.

"Hey, Vally. Wait up." He trudged up to the hurrying figure who did not even turn her head. "Hey, what's the matter?"

The short blonde pony tail bobbed as her head swung around sharply. "Well, lover-boy, what happened to you last night?"

Larry attempted a grin which dropped from his lips. He had been scared. Scared stiff, not of Fred, but his gang. "I couldn't make it," he said lamely.

Vally lifted her nose. "No matter, Fred can skate just as well as you."

"Fred?"

"Fred Monter," triumphantly.

"Oh. You skated with him." He did not ask the question; he knew what the answer was.

"Uh-huh," she nodded. Then she pushed her advantage. "He asked me to go to a party at his house tonight."

"What?" Larry grimaced. That hurt. "What? You're not going, are you?"

She stopped and faced him. "Why not?"



Larry opened his mouth. He closed it. Yesterday everything had been all right. Then last night. And now...

Vally's face broke down. Her old, sweet smile came to the surface. She stepped close to him, bowed her head and bumped her forehead gently against his chest. "Listen," she explained as to a two-year old, "he said that I should bring someone with me. He didn't say who. You want to come?"

Larry pushed her chin up. "At Fred's house? Are you kidding? You know how great a friend of mine he is." He bit his lip. "Sure I'll come. Try to keep me away!" He smiled and walked her home.

They climbed the steps to the big white door. A dim light glowed in one window. They stood there.

"Well silly, ring the bell."

"Oh." He reached over her shoulder and punched the button. The door opened and a shadow replaced it.

"Hi, Val" Fred said. He saw Larry standing there and frowned. He stood there a million years, it seemed. "What are you doing here?" he asked seemingly astounded, sneering. He made "you" sound very uncomplimentary.

Larry pushed himself to his full height.

"You said to bring someone, so I did." It was Vally, her voice small and sweet in the tense silence.

Fred stared. His face split in a wide toothy grin. He bowed Vally in and grabbed her hand as she passed. "Come on in Larry!" he said, and with his other hand hit him on the back with the flat of his hand. Larry burned. Fred and Vally disappeared inside. Larry swallowed, stepped through the doorway, and swung the heavy door shut behind him. Soft music floated from a room down the hall, intermingled with whispers and the crunch of potato chips.

Fred and Vally were dancing. Larry stared at them. She had her hand lightly on his shoulder, but his arm was tight across her back, holding her close. Larry did not take his eyes off of them. He felt his way through the room to an upholstered chair. On the way, he stumbled over a girl whose legs stretched out onto the floor. He mumbled half-hearted apologies, and sank onto the edge of the chair. Others were dancing too. They swayed as seaweed washed by the tide, not moving from their place. He kept his eyes on Vally.



Someone stirred at his feet.

"You go to East Side, don't you?" It was a girl.

"Yeah," he disclosed, not looking at her.

"I go to Northern," she said, and was quiet for a while.

Someone put on a 'hot' platter; but most of the dancers stayed with their old swaying, oblivious of the throbbing beat.

"Want to dance?" It was the girl at his feet again.

"No." He thought better of it. No use being rude. "Not now; maybe later."

Everyone had by now yielded to the quick rhythm, their arms flying, their toes seeming to point in all directions at once. Larry watched Vally swing around gracefully, and groaned as Fred caught her in his embrace again. It did not seem real. The record was reaching its climax with the singer spewing the words out in a hard monosylible, accompanied by the ear-wracking jangling of an electric guitar. Everything was one gigantic beat, an immense throb. Larry was caught up in it for a moment, his feet wrenching to go flying. The girl pushed a bowl of potato-chips at him and he grabbed a fist-full, glancing down for a moment.

When he looked up, Fred and Vally were gone. Larry stiffened. He looked around. They were gone. Not outside; he would have seen them. In the corner, there was another door. Larry walked stiffly to it, carefully side-stepping the legs he had tripped over before. He opened the door, quietly slipped through, and leaned against it behind. It snapped shut.

Fred was there, leaning possessively over something. Someone! Vally; who did not like it.

"Fred, let go of me," she warned, all sweetness and soft ness gone from her voice, "Let go!" She flicked a hand across his leering face.

"Fred!" Larry croaked. He swallowed. "Fred!"

The other turned, savage hate flashing from his eyes. Hate at him, Larry, for intruding. Hate at Vally, for finally he had found something money could not buy. He pushed her backward, his face contorted with rage, and flung himself against Larry felt the fist rake from his cheekbone and the hot flush of blood to the bruise. He fought back, all fear of Fred's



"power gone. They lurched against a heavy mohagony desk. They wrestled. A hand crept back over the smooth surface of the desk, searching, groping. A finger struck the cord of the telephone, and the hand followed it to the instrument. It curled around the receiver, hard. Both strained, grunting. The hand lifted the black plastic from the hook. A dull hum filled the room.

"Larry, look out." Unnecessary from Vally.

The hand relaxed. Fred's hand. He dropped over the edge of the desk. He slumped. Larry rubbed his knuckles. Vally came to him, sobbing, and he held her trembling hands, while still staring at the limp form.

The telephone receiver emited the patient, unemotional hum which marked it apart from the recent combatants of the room. It was dead; or more correctly, it had never been alive, it had never felt emotion: hate, fear, love. All of its mechanical life it had produced one single lifeless tone, interspersed with occasional periods of equally unreceptive quiet while hanging on its hook. It had never fought for something it wanted, against something it despised, yet feared.

Larry had. He wanted Vally. He liked her an awful lot. I love her, he thought for a moment, and knew instantly that it was not true. He was only fifteen, and he had no business loving anyone. He would not even be thinking of true love for another (at least) ten years; and ten years is a long time. Let s just say he was crazy about her. And he despised Fred. Fred, who could have anything he wanted, because his father was the richest man in town, and Fred could do his "friends" big favours. And feared him for that reason: the gangs of "friends.

But that was all over now. Fred was broken. He could not have all he wanted. He had been beaten.

And Fred knew it. He knew that he would have to go out to the party later, and show his badge, a black eye, and eventually the word would get around school, and all the kids, that maybe Fred Monter was not really the invincible big-shot he claimed to be. Fred was through.

He glared up at Larry and Vally, his eye slowly closing, the muscles of his jaws tight.

They stared at him.

He said: "Get out."

The telephone hummed back at him.



He screamed: "GET OUT!"

Hot tears streamed across his battered face.

He sobbed: "For Pete's sake, get out!"

They did!

Aris Slesers 10-A

# THE GIANT SQUIDS

"Look there!" The Captain's voice broke the still air and the mate's blank thoughts. "Astern there! A giant squid."

The sight that met the mates eyes made him recoil in utter astonishment and horror. Never had he seen a creature so hideous. Its monstrous size was beyond anything he could have imagined.

"It's heading straight for us!" The Captain exclaimed "It's heading us off and means to attack. There's no doubt of it." The Captain sprang to the speaking tube. "Close all breathing fins. Secure for action. Ready ship for emergency dive."

Instantaneous activity leaped through the ship at his brief but forcible commands. The rear of the submarine creamed the water as the propeller thrust the ship away from the monster. The tentacled assailant was determined as it dropped back from the submarines forward motion. It gathered for a closing lunge. With a prodigious leap, it squired its massive body forward, hurling itself on its prey. Arms thick as trees wound around the stern of the ship in an iron-like grip. Although the propeller frothed furiously, the drag of the huge creature's body brought it to a gradual stop.

Then the full weight of the monstrous thing was brought to bear, forcing the submarines stern downward and tilting her nose up and out of the water. The massive tentacles wound themselves around the whirling of the water. The massive tentacles wound themselves around the whirling propellar blades, forcing them to slow down and then to stop altogether. Blood and an inky fluid dyed the water and still the loathsome beast hung on stubbornly, forever tightening his hold, trying to crush this strangest of whales.

"We're fouled!" The Captain ground his teeth in anger as



he tilted his body against the sternward slope of the deck.

"Shall we proceed to submerge, sir?" asked the mate anxiously.

"No," the Captain bit out the word. "We'd be at a worse disadvantage below. We'll electrocute it. Give it the full repellant charge. Rheostat up, point, forty thousand." The Captain waited in the control room, the tilt of the deck became worse. He glared savagely at his enemy's bulk. His impatience was getting the best of him.

"Now. Now." he growled. "What's delaying the charge? The cursed thing will stand us on end."

Then he gave a triumphant cry as the awaited electrical charge suddenly cracked in a glowing pattern about the hull of the submarine. Jagged lightening sprang along the ship and encircled the body of the giant sea beast. As it became enveloped in a livid shower of sparks, it writhed its huge body and then was still, as sudden death loosed its scorched tentacles.

### Stu McLeod T 12 A

#### ALIEN

The ship came down from the black infinites of space cuickly, too quickly, and twisted its beautiful symmetry into a jagged ruin.

He was in the control room. He knew that because he could feel the knobs and dials of the control board beneath his fingers. But he couldn't see them. The lights, the lights which had been shining since the beginning of the interstellar flight, were back. He awaited patiently, for his eyes to adjust to the weak light which leaked from somewhere, and saw the blood on his control panel, and the blood on his hand, and then he remembered the crash.

He fought down a wild impulse to scream, to do something, but stared numbly at the thick liquid. Then he gave a push against the panel of dials so that his chair swivelled to give him a view of the rest of the room.

He was lucky to be alive, he saw that immediately. The floor buckled crazily, instruments lay there in irretrievable heaps, and a faint light panel from the ceiling was smashed against them, trailing thin, shiny wires. On the far end a wall was missing.



His fingers dug into the padding of the chair convulsively. He was all alone now, the thought struck him. No chance of rescue, none of repair, or, for that matter, survival. His ship carried the barest essentials for a limited amount of time, and then...And then a sweet young thing, back home, would unemotionally punch "MISSING" into his file and that would be that, while he died violently, or, at least, starved on an alien planet. Why? For what?

He swung back to the control board, full of anger--and fear. He stared down at the unblinking, dead dials, like so many dead faces of the people, the friends, he would never see again. Suddenly, he kicked the panel savagely. Somewhere in the wreck a battery released its last dregs of energy and before him a little dial began to glow mockingly. He kicked the panel again, harder. And the little dial quit glowing.

The rest of the ship was the same ruin. He found a dressing for his hand in a broken first aid kit. He found a small gun in an open drawer.

He went back to the control room and sat in the padded chair and stared doubtfully through the missing wall at the alien landscape, and the alien horizon, and the stars fighting weakly through the alien sky.

He sat there for a long time.

Finally he stood up, swallowing continually in order to keep his heart where it belonged, drew support from the little gun in his pocket, and walked out through the missing wall into the alien night.

Soon before dawn he came to an alien city. At dawn he saw his first alien.

Hours before he had decided what he would do. He had a duty; he would do it. He knew that it didn't matter now if he did or not: he wouldn't be able to go back to report, but he felt obliged to do it anyway. A while ago, back at the ship, he had asked himself, why? For what? Now he knew. He felt that he owed it, not to the people, for to them the world would not stop going around because he wasn't there, and they didn't care, and he didn't care—but to his world itself, the world that had given him birth, and had let him take one of the long, proud ships out to the stars...He would make contact. He would walk out to meet the alien, palms outstretched in the universal gesture of peace, and...



He froze, and once more drew strength from the tiny gun in his pocket, for the thing, the alien, had stepped from its crude conveyance and was lumbering up the walk toward him.

On Earth. a man who walks the streets at six o clock in the morning is almost invariably one of two things, a late reveller returning home for a much belated rest, or a milkman. Jerry Stevens would have liked to be the former, but since he drove a small delivery truck. stopped at every house, walked up to every door, and left one at every doorstep, or two, or three, bottles, that is, milk bottles, he was irreversibly the latter.

He was a simple fellow, not requiring much from life: he slept all night worked all morning, and read science-fiction all afternoon. He also eagerly followed all the latest news of the newly opened space frontier. The Russians had started it all with their "sputnicks," and the United States had sent up theirs, and now--well, who could tell, every day something new was revealed. Men had reached the moon, and only God and the President knew where they were going now, and what they were finding, or how they were reacting to it.

That was the life, he dreamed, roaming the black infinities between the planets, and the stars. He sighed, filling his carrier: six more simultaneous explosions shook the air. He turned and ran, his panic-stricken brain numb. His throat tore out scream after scream. He forgot his truck running at the curb.

He ran.

His screams could be heard all the way down the street.

Behind him a small, green, multi-eyed figure stood for a moment, its arms, upraised in the universal sign of peace, ending in long, curved claws. It stood for a moment only, then, frantically sucking strength from a little gun its pocket, it scurried away, frightenend, confused.

A thing far from home.

An Alien.

Aris Slesers 10 A



# My Model T

The weather being very muggy, I bought myself an auto buggy; It was held together With gum and cord; And it was called A Model T Ford. I brought it home, Fill'd it with gas. (Although it was in the "push me" class). I cranked up the engine, It sputtered and coughed; A tire blew out; Then the windshield fell off. I changed the tire. Let the windshield lay: Started off to what I had hoped a good day. I tore down the road At a quarter mile a minute. The lever was down But no power was in it. The gas stopped flowing So the car stopped, too; And my anger grew And grew and grew! But I got some gas And fill'd the tank. After that was done I turned the crank. Finally it started; Off to Dover. Now, the horn got stuck And the "rad" boiled over. After much working And stewing in vain, The sky became dark And it started to rain. I stood there drenched, And soaked to the bone, 'Cause I had no raincoat, And the top was at home. "This Ford's finished,"
I thought, "without doubt," As the fenders fell off And the engine dropped out.

Now comes the end of this little fable; I made it home, but--the Ford wasn't able! Ralph Iden 10A



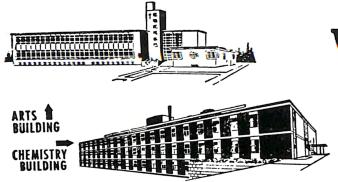
The Educational Advantages of Stamp Collecting lst prize, senior prose

The world's rarest stamp today is a one-cent postage stamp from British Guiana worth fifty thousand dollars. This stamp was printed in 1856 on the press of the local newspaper by the postmaster who was awaiting the arrival of a shipment of stamps from England. Seventeen years later an English schoolboy found one of these which was greying with age and thinking he would be able to obtain a better copy, sold it to a friend for one and a half dollars. Count Ferrary of Australia bought this copy from a stamp dealer in Glasgow for seven hundred and fifty dollars. After the Count's death in 1917, all his possessions were auctioned off. Arthur Hind, an American millionaire bought thim stamp for thirty-eight thousand dollars. His wife sold it in 1940 for fifty thousand dollars. As the demand for a stamp increases its face value also increases.

When one examines a stamp one finds a date, name of a person or picture of a person or an object. I have a blue threecent stamp printed in Canada in 1934. This stamp was printed to commemorate Jacques Cartier's landing in Canada four hundred years before in 1534. I have a blue four-cent stamp printed in 1947, the year of Alexander Graham Bell's death. An angel stands on a world globe extending her arm above Alexander's head and in the upper left-hand corner is a series of telephone wires. Then I've two stamps from Vatican City, the first showing us a street scene with its narrow lanes and tall buildings close together. The second displays the beauty of the old Roman architecture in the home of the Catholic popes. Next, I have several stamps from Djibouti, a French colony along the Somali coast. They show us the habitation of the people, their modes of transportation, ships by sea, and trains by land. also discover the climate is hot and dry, the vegetation is poor and their sunsets are breath-taking sights.

As the demand and need for education grows, the number of stamp collectors will increase. There are more young people taking University training and College courses today. A few fortunate ones will gain financial security for themselves by owning a valuable stamp. As Roger Babson, a business analyst and financial advisor says, "To encourage stamp collecting is to render a real education and social service. I say this for two reasons. First, stamp collecting is not only an excellent stimulus to learning geography and other subjects, but it also furnishes fundamentals for a business training. Secondly, I believe that people not only have, in stamp collecting, a legitimate form of investment, but also that it gives them an interest in foreign countries which they might not otherwise acquire." To sum it up, stamp collecting is not only a lively diversion, but it enlarges your vision, broadens your knowledge and in many ways enriches your life.





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# Senior Proficiency Crest Winners

Lois Garrison Pat Clawson
Barb McDonald Karen Hosie
Cathy Vick Janet Rinker
Audrey Fraser

# Intermediate Winners

Judy Clawson

# First and Second S Winners

The first S is awarded to girls who have obtained four proficiency crests and to the Senior All Round Champion. First S winners were:

Barbara McDonald Lois Garrison Cathy Vick

The Second S is awarded to girls who have obtained three proficiency crests and to the Intermediate All Round Champion.

# Second S Winners

Muriel Callum

# VOLLEYBALL

All the girls interested in playing interform volleyball gave their names to their form representative. Miss Kohutik then selected the form teams. It was a well-fought battle with the results as follows:

Junior Winners (Grade 9) C 9 A Intermediate Winners (Grade 10) 10 A Senior Winners Special Commercial



# BASKETBALL

Each form could enter a team if they had enough players. Games were played at noon and after school. The winners:

Junior (Grade 9) 9-B Intermediate (Grade 10) 10-A Senior C 12 A

# TRAMPOLEIN

Throughout the year, the trampolein is set up at noon hour and after school for girls who want to learn on it.

# SCHOOL PASKETBALL TEAMS

The girls who desired to play on the girls senior and junior school basketball teams practised at noon and after school. The teams are as follows.

# Seniors

Betty Lou Hoskin, Captain Pat Clawson Sheila Curry Donna Poulton Audrey Fraser Gerry Christman Betty Cook Nancy Irvine Shirley Terpstra Lois Garrison

## Juniors

Terry Lyn Black, Captain Marianne Mc Guire Sandra Steel Janie Sloan Ivaemae Shannon Gail Seigel Pat Vernon Barbara Jordon Ann Allen Dyanne Attlewhyte

# SCHOOL TEAMS PLAYED

- 1. St. Pat's Seniors--2 games--won both
- 2. Central Juniors -- won one and lost one Central Seniors -- won one and lost one
- 3. Petrolia Juniors -- one loss and one win Petrolia Seniors--one win
- 4. Northern Juniors -- lost one Northern Seniors -- won one





An active part was taken in swimming both during class and after school. One gym period a week was used for swimming. After school there were the regular swim classes for learning to swim and also aquatics.

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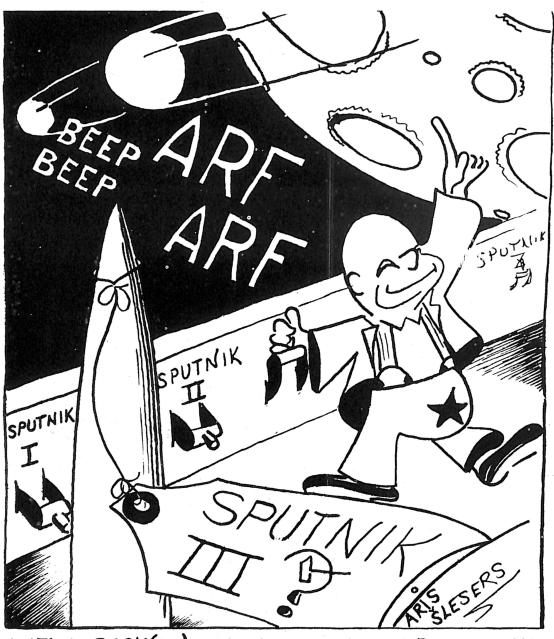
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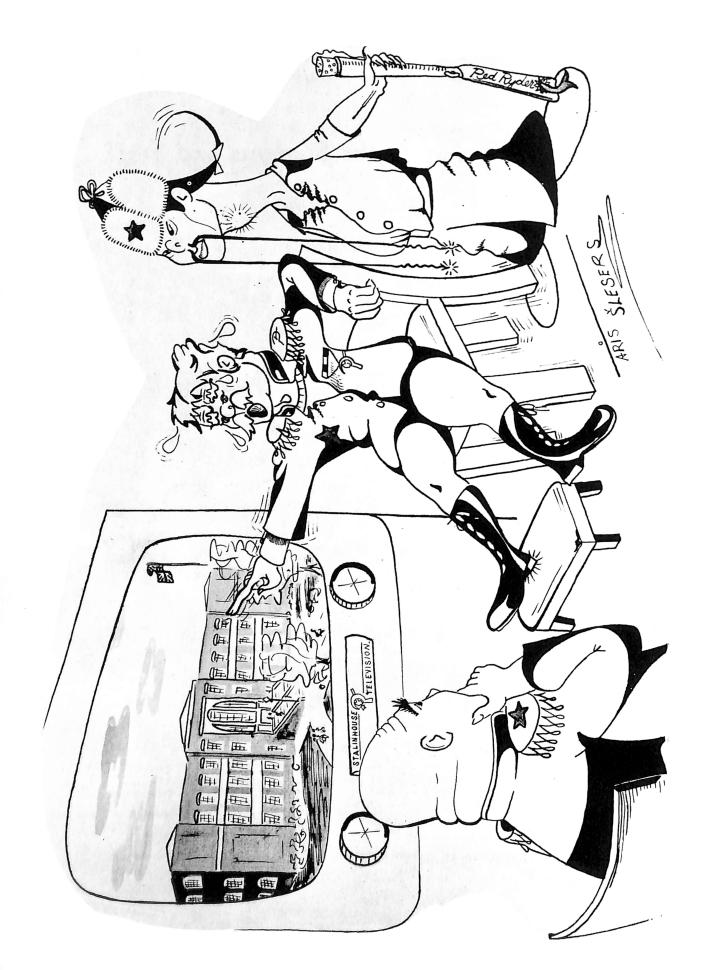
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MacPherson: Yes, I think I will, I need the sleep.

Sandra H .: Hey Lois, ask me if I'm an orange.

Lois: Okay, are you an orange?

Sandra H.: Nope!

Bob: Hey, Ed, what's this I hear about you abusing a dog in front of the school today? Did he bite you?

Ed: No, he didn't even nip me.

Bob:

Well, why abuse him? Abuse him nothing, he lifted his leg to kick me, so I

let him have it!

Jim P.: (to Mr. Pate) Sir, how do you stop this fish from

smelling?
Mr. Pate: Well, I can't say off-hand Jim
Jim: Well, I cut off his nose!

Hey, did you know that in France you can't hang a man with a wooden leg!

Oh, why is that?

You have to use a rope.

How would you freeze ice in Florida? Gee, I don't know. You freeze water, stupid.

What did one pencil say to the other pencil? I don't know.

Nothing, jerk--pencils can't talk.

Why did they bury the Scotsman on the side of the hill?

I don't know!

Because he was dead!

Why is the finger on the statue of Liberty only 11" long?

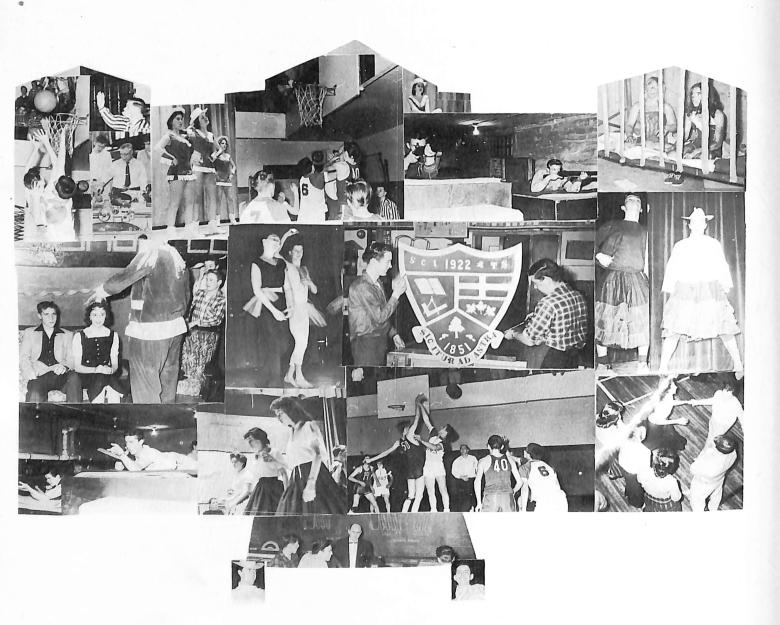
Because if it was 12" it would have been a foot.

Why does a farmer wear pink suspenders?

I don't know!

To hold up his pants!

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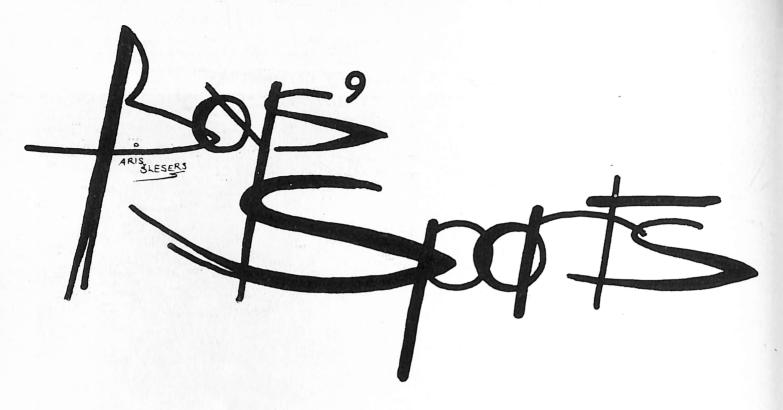
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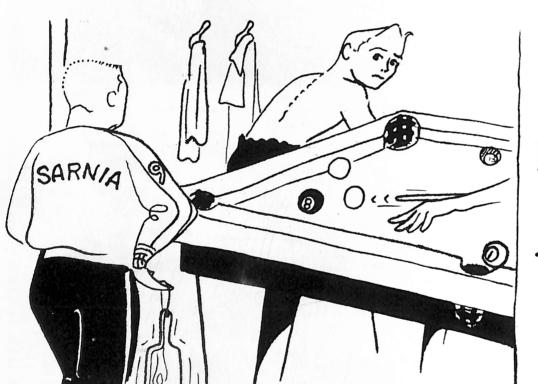
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# BASKETBALL

## DECEMBER 6

SCITS lost a pair of exhibition openers to two powerful squads from Beal Tech. The Juniors went down 30-42, the Seniors 27-58.

# DECEMBER 12

Beal returned for two more exhibition victories over SCITS, downing the Juniors 41-18 and the Seniors 71-17.

#### DECEMBER 18

The Juniors put up an impressive passing and shooting display for a victory in their first league game. Jim Colbourne and Lee Roberts were high scorers with 14 points each. The score was SCITS Juniors 69 and Petrolia 7.

A strong, experienced Petrolia team proved too much for our boys in their first league play. The score was SCITS 10, and Petrolia 54.

## JANUARY 9

Our Junior squad was a cool, efficient team, downing their taller opponents. Bob Kidd led the scoring for 8 points. The final score was SCITS 30 and Northern 21.

Led by Ed Fluter with 34 points the Seniors convincingly defeated the Northern team. The score was SCITS 64, Northern 16.

## JANUARY 15

The Seniors played a good game on their home court to defeat St. Pats. Ed Fluter was again top man with 12 points. The final score was SCITS 46, St. Pats 34.

#### JANUARY 22

The Juniors fell behind by 15 points in the first half and couldn't catch up with the hard playing Central team. The final score was SCITS 26 and Central 43.

Although the game was deadlocked 20-20 at the half, the Seniors couldn't hold the Central squad in the last minutes. Ed Fluter led SCITS with 14 points. The final score was SCITS 44. Central 54.



#### JANUARY 24

The Juniors romped to an easy vicotry over Petrolia, Bob Kidd and Jim Colbourne picking up 12 points each. The final score was SCITS 45, Petrolia 23.

The senior team won this thriller in the last seconds of play after trailing by as much as 8 points. Ed Fluter paced the boys again with 16 points. The final score was SCITS 51 and Petrolia 50.

#### FEBRUARY 7

SCITS split a pair of exhibition tilts with London South. The Juniors lost 26-38 while the Seniors defeated the boys from London 53-31.

#### FEBRUARY 11

The blues got rolling after a slow start, defeating Northern under Ed Fluter's 27 point effort. The final score was SCITS Seniors 58 and Northern 29.

The boys scored easily, doubling in the Junior game against their opponents tallies. Lee Roberts and Bob Kidd were high men with 7 points each. The final score was SCITS 36 and Northern 18.

#### FEBRUARY 13

The Seniors tried to pull out of an 8 point deficit but couldn't quite make it. George Culley tied Ed Fluter with 10 points. The final score, SCITS 38, Central 42.

The Juniors played a hard, close game right up to the final buzzer. Dave Fleet paced the team with 8 points. The final score being SCITS 27 and Central 31.

#### PLAYOFFS

The playoffs commenced on February 18. The Juniors fought from behind several times to tie this first game. Don Laidlaw led with 15 points. The final score was SCITS 44, Central 44.

#### FEBRUARY 24

The Juniors fought this thriller into two overtime periods but Central got the clincher in the end. Jim Colberne topped SCITS scoring with 10 points. The final score, 42-40 Central.









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#### FOOTBALL

SEPTEMBER 27

S. C. I. & T. S. 6

St. Pat's 14

SCITS first game of the season was a victory for a hard charging St. Pat's team. The Bomber's only touchdown against the big line of the Irish was on a first quarter 75 yard run by Dave Fleet.

OCTOBER 11

S. C. I. & T. S. 6

Central 15

The Team played a good running and blocking game but only managed to pick up one touchdown--Mike Muir scooped up a fumble and ran 60 yards for the T.D.

OCTOBER 16

S. C. I. & T. S. 12

Wallaceburg O

The first SCITS victory was won over a game Wallaceburg squad. Mike Muir made several good punt returns for big gains. George Kuz starred with two touchdowns for the victors.

OCTOBER

S. C. I. & T. S. O

St. Pats 8

The team made an excellent showing, particularly the backs with Mike Muir making several good end runs, but couldn't make those big few yards to the goal line. St. Pat's touchdown came in the first quarter.

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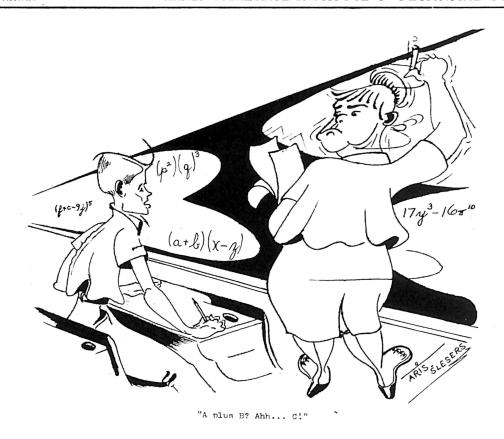
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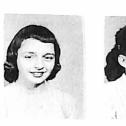






























































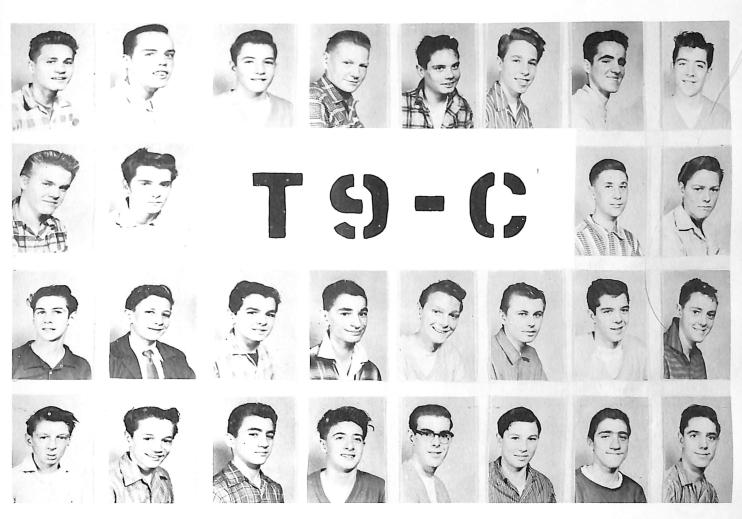








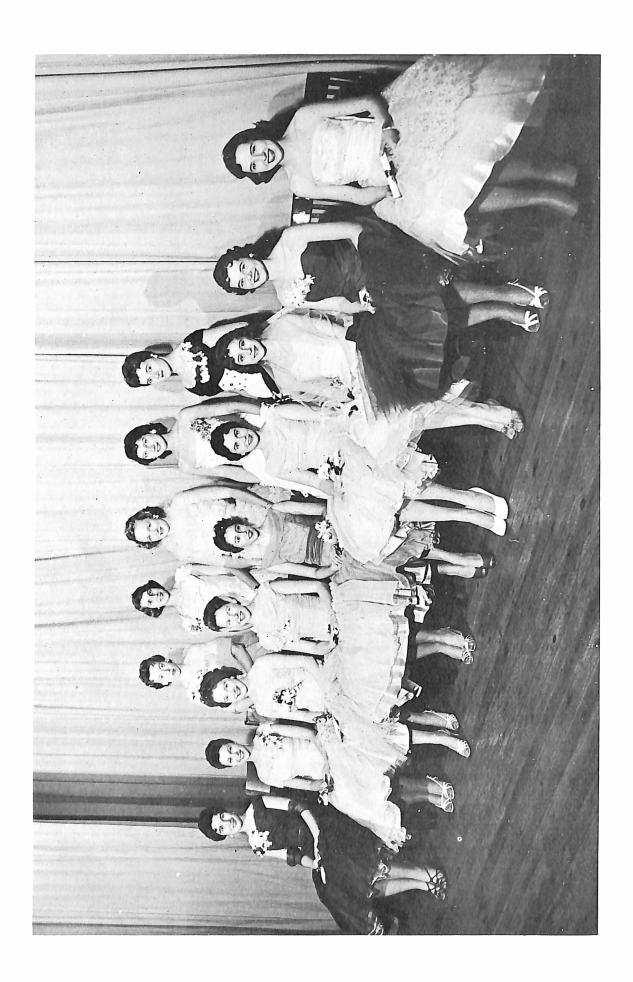
























#### Glee Club

The Glee Club this year composed of students from the three high schools in Sarnia and was well-organized under the able hand of Mr. Sperling. As is the club's custom, they held their annual concert this year in February. Pianists Joanne Voege and Mary Lou Francis performed admirably in a duet as well as in accompanying the chorus. One feature of note in the programme was the wide variety of selections. This appealed to the audience because there was something for everybody. The Glee Club, with a high standard of previous years to live up to, has succeeded in making this year's performance one of the best.

#### Orchestra

The school orchestra, though small in number, certainly makes its presence known in our morning assembly. With an everincreasing repertoire, the orchestra this year undertook the task of playing a hymn every morning--no mean feat. If one person was to be commended for fine work in the orchestra's behalf, it would be the conductor, Mr. John Gilbert, who has worked tirelessly directing, writing out individual music for the members, and all the other details that go together to make up a successful orchestra.

The orchestra participated in the SCITS Revue this year without the aid of the other two schools. Their performance on that occasion drew favourable comment from the audience. The orchestra is proving itself a vital part in our school life.

#### Students' Council

The Students' Council, consisting of form representatives elected by their fellow classmates, has accomplished much during 1957-58 under the excellent guidance of Mr. O'Donohue and Mr. Little. The executive is as follows:

President: Barb McDonald Vice-President: Bob Brown Secretary: Muriel Callum Treasurer: Gail Taylor

At the weekly Monday council meetings plans are drawn up for the Com-to-calls and all student business is discussed.

Some of the useful projects undertaken this year were the sale of Christmas cards, school pictures, crests, writing paper, and polo shirts.

Two members of the executive attended a Student Council Convention, the first of its kind, in Stoney Creek on February 28, where they gained useful information to be used in our council.



Another project was the building of a school crest to grace the doorway of our school dances. This was made by the Technical boys and is very attractive.

Any money that the council obtains is spent in a great variety of ways. The supply of games must be kept in good repair, and the record collection must be kept up to date. Also, cash awards of \$50 apiece are given to the all-round boy and girl voted by the council; and awards of \$10 are given to the leading students in grades 9 and 10 of all departments of the school.

Thus, the council has been very active and will continue to be so in the years to come.

#### Publicity Committee

In the past, the SCITS press releases and radio broadcasts have been the responsibility of a few students. This year, many students have shown an interest in this activity.

Each school activity is represented by a committee member who submits a report each week on his particular organization for broadcast and publication. All members take turns doing the radio report, but the newspaper column is written by Brenda Byers, C 12 A, Peter Ross, 12 A, and Nancy Needham, 11 A. The committee is very ably guided by Mr. Hosie and Cathy Vick, 13 A.

We hope to see more student participation in this activity in future years since a better coverage of school activities will mean better publicity for our school.

#### The Stamp Club

The Stamp Club, a new organization in the school, meets at 12:20 on Tuesdays in room 311. It is under the direction of Mr. Palmer, an ardent stamp collector, with Gord Russell as treasurer and Dave Skelton, the stamp tabulator. The purpose of the club is to increase the members' knowledge of stamp collecting and to improve their collections.

So far the club has bought some stamps for their collection and has had many stamps given to it by people in the school and businesses in the city. The club has been collecting common Canadian and American stamps which are to be traded with clubs and individuals in foreign countries for their common stamps. The sorting and counting of these stamps is the job of the tabulator. The other main activity in the club is the trading between the members.

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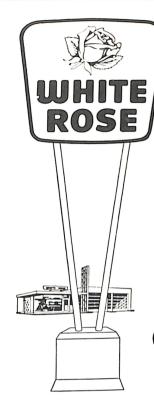
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